

STATE CONVENTION ENDS IN A FIST FIGHT

RIOT IN THE TEXAS MEETING YESTERDAY.

After the Trouble the McKinley Men Organize a Separate Gathering and Name Delegates—Political Doings in Illinois—General Campaign News and Notes.

Austin, Texas, March 27.—The republican state convention broke up in a row Thursday afternoon, but not until N. Wright Cuney, the negro leader from Galveston, had gained and held complete control. He heads the delegation to the national convention, and he did not concede the McKinley men a single point in the fight.

It was the most boisterous convention ever held in Texas. Long before the hour of meeting the convention auditorium was filled with delegates and hundreds of observers who expected trouble. When the report of the committee on credentials was read by W. M. McDonald, Eugene Marshall of Dallas, a Reed man, moved its adoption. Its preparation by an Allison-Cuney committee and its endorsement by a Reed-Cuney man was evidence that it proposed to unseat sufficient McKinley men and seat enough Reed and Allison delegates to insure the suppression of the McKinley men. Webster Flanagan, a candidate for delegate on the McKinley ticket, moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report. The chairman declared there was no minority report.

The committee on permanent organization recommended that the temporary organization be made permanent. The roll call was again demanded on a motion to adopt, but the demand was overruled and an appeal taken from the ruling of the chair. The chair was sustained by a viva voce vote and the motion to adopt prevailed. This placed Cuney permanently in the chair.

The resolutions presented by the committee were adopted in the same way and as they made no favorable mention of McKinley the followers of the Ohio man were angry, but when the selection of delegates came up and four Reed and Allison men were named and elected viva voce the McKinley men could stand it no longer. They made a rush for the platform and such a howling struggle ensued as has rarely been seen. There were half a dozen big tables on the platform, all of which were instantly covered with howling and gesticulating men.

The Cuney men had been told that the McKinley crowd would attack the platform and were ready for the onslaught. The first man that laid a hand on Cuney to take him from the table was knocked sprawling by Bill Ellis, of Mexican negro colonization fame, and then for twenty minutes pandemonium reigned. The reporters were forced to desert their desks or be run over, and everybody who did not want to get into the melee left the platform, some of them jumping headlong to escape the fury of the crazed delegates.

It seemed impossible that bloodshed could be avoided, but when the police secured quiet it was discovered that no one had been seriously hurt. Then the convention came to order again. State electors were named and the most memorable of all Texas republican conventions came to an end.

The convention adopted a platform along the regular lines, the currency plank of which reads as follows: "We demand an honest dollar of greatest purchasing power for every class alike; the largest issue of gold, silver and paper compatible with security and the requirements of trade, all of equal value, interchangeable one for the other, every dollar resting on gold as money of final redemption."

Immediately after the regular convention adjourned the McKinley faction took charge of the hall, and organizing their convention in due form, elected delegates to St. Louis. This convention did not consider a platform, but adopted resolutions indorsing McKinley for president and instructing the delegation sent from here to vote for him as long as his name was before the convention.

BATTLE IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Factional Fight Interrupted by the Police—McKinley Wins.

Charleston, W. Va., March 27.—The convention of the Third congressional district republicans held to choose delegates to St. Louis was one of the most remarkable ever held in the state. The factional fight among Kanawha county republicans culminated in a fist fight between L. E. McWhorter and Dave Goshorn. Others were drawn into the fracas and a pitched battle ensued, which was witnessed by the delegates standing upon seats and tables. The chairman rapped and yelled for order. The three sergeants-at-arms were powerless. Finally the city police were called in, and they succeeded in stopping the bloody fight. The delegates chosen favor McKinley, tariff and the gold standard.

ILLINOIS POLITICS.

McKinley Captures State Delegates from Three Counties.

Princeton, Ill., March 27.—The republicans of Putnam county held their convention at Hennepin Thursday. Resolutions were adopted denouncing "bossism" and favoring a uniform

currency. The delegates to the state and congressional conventions were instructed for McKinley by a unanimous vote. The state delegates were instructed for Congressman Hopkins. William E. Mason was recommended as the next candidate for United States senator.

Clinton, Ill., March 27.—The DeWitt county republican convention, held here Thursday, instructed for McKinley for president, Tanner for governor, and Mason for United States senator. Greenup, Ill., March 27.—The republican convention of Cumberland county at Toledo Thursday did not instruct their delegates, but their choice is Congressman Benson Wood's nomination and for McKinley for president, Cullom being the second choice.

Carmi, Ill., March 27.—The republican congressional convention of the Twentieth district met here Thursday. Resolutions were adopted declaring for protection, reciprocity and honest money, and indorsing Congressman Burrell and his work in redeeming the district from democracy in 1894. The McKinley sentiment was strong, but a motion to adjourn without indorsing any candidate for president was carried.

Some Hopes for Harrison.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 27.—Some of the Harrison stalwarts here have received letters from other states suggesting that it looks more and more as if the general might be the choice of the St. Louis convention. Men who know the general best declare that he will not decline the nomination if the convention should see fit to bestow it upon him. An effort is to be made to prevent Indiana's thirty votes going to McKinley on the first ballot. It is apparent that there will be bitter opposition to any effort to instruct the delegates-at-large. Some of the men who are candidates have announced that they will not consent to go to the convention instructed.

May Be the First Gun for Reed.

Boston, Mass., March 27.—What is expected to be the first official big gun for Thomas B. Reed as a candidate for president will be fired with enthusiasm at the republican state convention here this afternoon. Preparations for the affair have been practically completed. The delegates to the convention are beginning to arrive. The principal topic of conversation is Reed and his chances. The chief interest felt among the politicians is in what the platform will say on the financial question, although it is believed it will declare unequivocally against any change in the currency.

Depew Says Morton Is the Man.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 27.—In an interview on the political situation, Chauncey Depew said: "If McKinley could secure the nomination on the first ballot, that would settle the whole trouble. But I am confident he will not have the votes necessary to win at that stage, and that he will be forced in the end to abandon the field. Every indication favors the presumption that Mr. Morton will profit from this failure on the first ballot of McKinley, and that the presidential candidate will come from New York."

Manderson Makes a Denial.

Omaha, Neb., March 27.—Gen. Manderson has formally denied the report wired here from the east that he would be secretary of war if McKinley was the next president, and that this was the price of his present silence in Nebraska. "It's not customary for one to make up one's cabinet before one is elected or even nominated," added the general. "There is nothing to the rumor at all, and it is not deserving of the least attention."

Carlisle May Launch His Boom.

Washington, March 27.—It is understood here that Secretary Carlisle intends to launch his presidential boom through the medium of the speech which he is to deliver at Chicago on April 15 before the labor organizations. His recent efforts in Kentucky have been classed by his admirers as "sound money classics," but those in Mr. Carlisle's confidence predict that his effort at Chicago, which he is now preparing, will surpass them all.

Congressional Nominations Postponed.

Frankfort, Ind., March 27.—Thursday was set for the populists of the Ninth district to nominate a candidate for congress, but at the meeting of the delegates it was decided to postpone the nomination until after the national convention. Resolutions declaring for free silver and sympathizing with Cuba were passed.

Joint State Senator Nominated.

Wabash, Ind., March 27.—The republicans of Wabash and Kosciusko counties met at North Manchester to nominate a candidate for joint senator. Joseph Goehenour of Roann was nominated. Mr. Goehenour is an ardent supporter of Charles W. Fairbanks for United States senator. Resolutions indorsing McKinley, protection and "sound money" were adopted.

Puts Crime on Miss McGrath.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 27.—Another theory has arisen in regard to Annie McGrath's death. This is to the effect that the girl, being engaged to be married to a young man whose real name has not yet appeared, attempted to sever her relations with Samuel P. Langdon; that the latter threatened to reveal their intimacy if she did so, and that she, fearing such a disclosure, attempted to kill him and then committed suicide.

TO ADVANCE FUNDS FOR THE EXPENSES

EGYPTIAN COMMISSION DECIDES TO ACT.

Sum Appropriated Is \$2,506,000—Confirmation of the Fact of the Defensive Anglo-Italian Alliance Stirs All Rome—General Foreign News In Brief.

Cairo, March 27.—The commission of the Egyptian debt met here and decided to advance the £500,000 necessary to meet the expenses of the British-Egyptian expedition against Dongola. Of the sum needed £200,000 is available immediately.

The English, German, Italian and Austrian members of the commission voted to advance the money required. The Russian and French members voted against the proposition.

Directly the action of the majority of the commissioners became known the representatives of the Paris syndicate of Egyptian bondholders took steps to institute proceedings before the Egyptian mixed tribunal against the debt commissioners and the ministers responsible for the reserve fund.

Rome, March 27.—A profound impression has been caused here by Baron Blanc's confirmation of the fact that the defensive Anglo-Italian alliance exists. Its conclusion proves great ability on ex-Premier Crispi's part.

Killiz Is Surrounded.

Constantinople, March 27.—The outbreak at Killiz is more serious than had been supposed. The town is now surrounded by troops and no one is allowed to leave or enter the place. The officials of Bitlis are preventing the American missionaries from distributing aid.

The British ambassador, Sir Philip Currie, has had an interview with Tewfik Pasha, the minister for foreign affairs, on the subject.

Restrict Miss Barton's Work.

London, March 27.—A Constantinople dispatch to the Daily News says: "The council of ministers has decided that Miss Clara Barton can only work in conjunction with the local Turkish commission in the distribution of relief, and can only use their lists of destitute Armenians. An irade to this effect is expected."

Consent of Parliament Not Needed.

London, March 27.—A. J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, answering a question in the house of commons, said the government did not think it was necessary to consult parliament before concluding an international agreement to open the Indian mints.

Income Tax for France.

Paris, March 27.—The chamber of deputies by a vote of 286 to 270 has voted for the government proposal of the principle of an income tax, but has referred the details of the scheme to a committee.

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Two Men Dead, a Third Fatally Injured and Others Slightly Hurt.

New York, March 27.—Six men who had worked their way into the freight yards of the Central railroad at Elizabeth, N. J., were run into by a train which was being shifted from one track to another on Thursday. Two of the men were killed, one probably fatally injured, two others slightly and the sixth is believed to have escaped altogether. He has not been seen since. The killed are:

W. S. JOHNSON of Brooklyn.

GEO. B. LANE of Providence, R. I.

The injured are:

Unknown man, several compound fractures; will probably die.

John F. Allen of Holyoke, Mass.

Roger Lane, brother of George B. Lane, who was killed.

HIPPOLYTE IS DEAD.

Report Concerning Decease of the Haytian President Is Confirmed.

Washington, March 27.—The state department has received a cablegram from United States Minister Smythe at Port au Prince, Hayti, confirming the Paris report of the death of President Hippolyte of Hayti. The minister's cablegram gave no details, simply reading: "President dead."

Four Men Said to Be Killed.

South Bend, Ind., March 27.—Information received here says a wreck occurred yesterday afternoon on the Indiana, Illinois & Iowa railroad between North Judson and Knox, Ind., in which four men were smothered by the overturning of a car of grain in which they were riding.

Town in Arkansas Burning.

Little Rock, Ark., March 27.—A telephone message at 2 o'clock this morning reported the town of Benton, Ark., on fire, with prospects of being wiped out. The fire is under big headway, and the town, a place of 1,000 inhabitants, is without a fire department.

National League Umpires.

Washington, March 27.—President N. E. Young has appointed the following staff of umpires for this season, all of whom are under contract: Sheridan, Lynch, Hurst, Emslie, Keefe, Weidman and Henderson, with Dan Campbell as substitute.

NAVAL BILL PASSED BY CONGRESSMEN

PROVIDES FOR FOUR NEW WAR SHIPS.

Efforts to Increase the Number to Six Fails—Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill to Come Up Today—Wants an Expert Commission to Help Congress—Washington News

Washington, March 27.—The naval appropriation bill was passed Thursday by the house without substantial amendment. An effort was made by the advocates of a larger increase of the navy than was authorized by the bill to increase the number of battleships from four to six. This increase was supported on the floor by Messrs. Hanley (rep., Ind.), Cummings (dem., N. Y.) and Johnson (rep., Cal.), and opposed by Messrs. Boutelle, chairman of the committee, Hulick (rep., O.), and Robinson (rep., Pa.). The house, by a large majority, stood by the recommendation of the committee, the proposition for six battleships mustering but 32 votes against 134. Various other amendments were offered, but all failed. The bill as passed carries \$31,611,034 and authorizes the construction of four battleships and fifteen torpedo-boats, the total cost of which will be in the neighborhood of \$35,000,000.

Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropriations committee, reported the sundry civil bill and gave notice he would call it up to-day. The bill carries \$29,408,874, which is \$11,064,779 less than the estimates furnished by the department, and \$17,241,285 less than the appropriations for the current year. The total for continuing the river and harbor works heretofore authorized is \$2,78,597. The estimates for this were \$4,044,597 and the appropriations for the current year by the last congress \$11,287,115.

For continuing river and harbor improvements the amounts are: Galveston harbor, \$840,000; improving channel connecting the great lakes between Chicago, Duluth and Buffalo, \$500,000; canal at Cascades of the Columbia, Oregon, \$179,579; Humboldt, Cal., \$150,000.

The following Illinois, western and Chicago items are contained in the bill: For marine hospital at Chicago, \$8,950; for marine hospital at Cincinnati, \$1,000; for signal at Joseph Pier, Mich., \$5,000; Portage Lake, Mich., \$10,500; superintendent of lifeboat stations on Lake Michigan, \$1,600; for pay of surfmen, \$1,248,290; for establishing new stations on great lakes and on coasts, \$40,000; revenue-cutter service, \$990,000; Northville (Mich.) fish station, \$4,980; Alpena (Mich.) fish station, \$1,920; Rock Island arsenal, \$10,000; improving Fort Wayne military reservation, \$20,000; National Home for Disabled Soldiers at Dayton, approximately, \$520,000; northwestern branch, Milwaukee, Wis., approximately, \$270,000; western branch at Fort Leavenworth, approximately, \$278,000; Marion (Ind.) branch, approximately, \$195,000; United States penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, approximately, \$128,000.

PREMIUM ON GOLD BARS RAISED.

Treasury Takes Steps to Prevent the Exportation of Yellow Metal.

Washington, March 27.—The treasury department has instructed the New York subtreasury to raise the premium on gold bars from 1-16 to 3-16 of 1 per cent. The department's purpose in the issuance of this order is to do what can be done legitimately to prevent future exports of gold. The order has a triple purpose. First, it will tend to raise the price at which gold can be exported profitably, the price of exchange now being dangerously near the export point; second, it is regarded as a good policy to get rid of coin instead of bars, because the former frequently have lost weight through abrasion, and third, it is intended to meet the recent action of the Bank of England in raising the price of gold bars to 77 shillings 10 pence, and thus practically lowering the rate of exchange at which gold can be shipped from the United States to Great Britain to about 488½ or 488¾. Treasury officials admit the issuance of the order, but will not talk further concerning it.

OBJECTION MADE TO RIDERS.

Motion in the Senate to Strike Out the Change from Fees to Salaries.

Washington, March 27.—The senate spent most of Thursday on the legislative appropriation bill, but did not complete it owing to Mr. Sherman's motion to strike out the proposition for the change from fees to salaries for United States district attorneys and marshals. The subject was debated at length and will be voted on today.

Mr. Sherman spoke against encumbering appropriation bills with general legislation. He also opposed the high salaries proposed by the bill. A joint resolution was adopted allowing ex-President Harrison to accept decorations from Brazil and Spain.

The joint resolution was passed providing for the appointment of a commission under the direction of the secretary of war for the preliminary survey, with plans, specifications and approximate estimates of cost therefor, for the construction of a ship canal of approved width and depth from the lower shore of Lake Michigan to the Wabash river, and for the further in-

vestigation of the practicability of the construction of such a waterway.

Greater than Ten States.

Washington, March 27.—Senator White from the committee on territories on Thursday presented the report of that committee on the bill for the admission of Arizona as a state of the union. The report says that the territory contains 113,000 square miles, or a greater area than is comprised in the ten states of Rhode Island, Delaware, Connecticut, New Jersey, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Maryland, West Virginia and South Carolina combined. Its resources are represented as unlimited, comprising much rich agricultural land, 40,000,000 acres of grazing land and the largest unbroken forest area in the United States, as well as rich deposits of gold, silver, copper, lead, onyx, marble and precious stones. The population is placed at 80,000 and is represented as rapidly increasing.

WANTS A COMMISSION.

Experts May Be Called In to Aid Congress.

Washington, March 27.—At the opening of the session of the house Thursday Mr. Heatwole (rep.) of Minnesota, introduced the following resolution, which was referred:

"Whereas, in lieu of our present inadequate banking and currency system it is desirable that congress have the aid of such recommendations as a non-partisan commission of experts might be able to offer;

"Resolved, That the president is hereby authorized to appoint nine citizens, eminent in trade, political economy and banking, to act with the comptroller of the currency as such commission and that such commission report its conclusions to congress."

Money for a Ship Canal.

Washington, March 26.—The senate Thursday, by a unanimous vote, passed the measure introduced by Senator Turpie appropriating \$25,000 for the preliminary survey for a ship canal from Lake Michigan to the Wabash river.

Cuban Resolutions.

Washington, March 26.—The conference committee on Cuban resolutions Thursday agreed to report the senate Cuban resolutions. It is thought that the house will accept the conference report.

GOV. ALTGELD INDICTED.

Grand Jury of Champaign County, Illinois, Furnishes a Sensation.

Champaign, Ill., March 27.—The grand jury of Champaign county met March 3, and adjourned Wednesday noon. It has leaked out that one of the last things done by the grand jury was to bring in an indictment against the board of trustees of the University of Illinois for alleged non-compliance with the state law requiring the trustees of all public institutions of education to keep the flag of the United States aloft on all buildings used for educational purposes. The grand jury spared no one in its indictments, not even omitting the women members of the board of trustees, and including the ex-officio members of the board. The members of the board for whom the sheriff has warrants citing them to appear in the criminal court of Champaign county on or before March 30, are: John P. Altgeld, governor of Illinois; James W. Judy, state board of agriculture, Tallula; Samuel M. Inglis, superintendent of public instruction, Springfield; Richard P. Morgan of Dwight; Julia Holmes Smith of Chicago; Nelson W. Graham of Carbonale; James E. Armstrong of Chicago; Isaac S. Raymond of Sidney; Alexander McLean of Macomb; Samuel A. Bullard of Springfield; Lucy L. Flower of Chicago.

There is some doubt as to whether the question will ever be brought to trial, but the university authorities hope that the matter will be decided definitely.

RAILROAD MEN JOIN ISSUES.

Leaders of Four Great Branches in Conference at Erie, Pa.

Erie, Pa., March 27.—A big meeting of union railroad employes began in this city Thursday. Fully 300 delegates are in the city, among them being P. H. Morrissey, grand master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen; F. P. Sargent, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen; E. E. Clark, grand master of the Order of Railway Conductors; Delos S. Everett, of Cleveland, and G. W. Werz, of New York. It is stated that the question of federation of the orders for purposes of mutual protection occupied the entire time of the delegates. Grand Master Sargent said that there was no doubt an arrangement to that end would be effected at the present meeting.

Will Treat Them as Incendiaries.

Havana, March 27.—Capt.-Gen. Weyler has once more issued a proclamation. He proclaims that in view of the fact that the insurgents avoid engagements with the troops and devote themselves entirely to acts of incendiarism, he has resolved to deal with them as incendiaries and bandits, applying the rule set forth in his former proclamation.

French Ambassador Recalled.

London, March 27.—A Paris dispatch to the Chronicle says: "It is rumored that Baron de Courcel, French ambassador in London, has been recalled."

GIRLS IN A PANIC BECAUSE OF FIRE

SCARE AT THE WISCONSIN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

Police Were On Hand and None of the Incorrigibles Escaped—Silver City Was Threatened By Flames, and Milwaukee Sent Help—Alma Mystery Unsolved.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 27.—Fire caused a panic among the fifty-eight inmates of the Wisconsin Industrial School at North Point Thursday night. They were at supper when a blaze was discovered in the kitchen. Mrs. Pierce, the matron, tried to quiet the girls, but was only partially successful. They rushed from the building, but fortunately were taken in charge by the police so that none of the incorrigibles escaped. The loss was less than \$1,000.

Silver City, a western suburb, had a fire scare, and the Milwaukee department was called on for help. The loss was confined to \$6,000, principally on the home of Anton Dorfer.

Alma's Murder Mystery Unsolved.

Alma, Wis., March 27.—The reinvestigation of the Oldhouse mystery, which was going on the past few days, was completed Thursday. Nothing that shed any light developed. The theory that the father first killed the family and then himself is doubted by most people. Others claim that there is circumstantial evidence of murder by someone unknown.

BODY FOUND IN A TRUNK.

Another Murder Mystery for the Chicago Police to Unravel.

Chicago, March 27.—From the proceeds of a sale of unredeemed freight the village of Austin last night developed a trunk mystery. In a zinc box, hermetically sealed, two residents of that place discovered the badly decomposed body of a man, to whose identity there is not the slightest clue. The body was bent and tied with a strong rope and half destroyed by chloride of lime and saltpeter. To ascertain who the man was, where the body came from, who placed it in the trunk or what was the cause of death the authorities say is an undertaking greater than they recently have met, and the solution of the mystery, they assert, is almost a hopeless task. All that is known is that the remains were shipped into Chicago, consigned to G. M. Morgan, 166 Jefferson court. There is no such street number. Where the box came from may be ascertained today from the records of the warehouse where the unclaimed freight was purchased.

PASTORS OPPOSE CHANGE.

Indiana Methodists Want to Remain as Each Past Five Years.

Richmond, Ind., March 27.—The session of the north Indiana conference of the Methodist Episcopal church Thursday was crowded full of interest, and the attendance and enthusiasm was much increased. Probably the most important thing done was the vote on the question of removing the time limit from the service of the pastors at any one point. At present it is five years, and there has been a movement on foot to either extend or remove it entirely. The question will probably be settled by the general conference which meets at Cleveland in May, and the delegates from this to the general conference were instructed to oppose any change.

May Lead to Another Tie-Up.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 27.—The street railway situation in this city has again become serious, and it was by the bare margin of two votes that the central board of the Amalgamated association last night defeated a resolution that the lines of the Philadelphia Traction company be tied up again on next Monday morning. A committee of the central board held an all-day session, at which, it is said, a number of witnesses were examined and affidavits presented which showed that the company has done but little toward settling the difficulties, and that men are still being discharged for apparently no other reason than that they are members of the Amalgamated association.

Pearl Bryan to Be Buried Today.

Greencastle, Ind., March 27.—The family of A. S. Bryan have decided to bury the body of their daughter, Pearl Bryan, the Fort Thomas victim, and the funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The body has been kept in the public vault at Forest Hill cemetery ever since its arrival here, with the hope of securing the missing head, but it seems that the head will not be found, and the interment without it will be made.

Two Joint Senators Nominated.

Lebanon, Ind., March 27.—The republicans of Boone, Montgomery and Clinton counties met here Thursday and nominated Samuel R. Artman of Lebanon and Robert Garry of Frankfort for joint senators. They indorsed James Mount for governor and McKinley for president.

For McKinley and "Sound Money."

Charleston, W. Va., March 27.—The republicans of the Third congressional district Thursday chose two delegates to represent the district in the national republican convention. The delegates chosen favor McKinley, protection and "sound money."

MILTON IN MOURNING FOR TWO GOOD MEN

VISIT OF THE DEATH ANGEL
CASTS A SHADOW.

Sketches of the Life and Work of Rev. E. M. Dunn and W. G. Hamilton—Donation is Planned—Liquor Case Adjourned—Week's Revival Meetings at Stebbinsville—Other News.

Milton, March 27.—Last Wednesday morning, Rev. E. M. Dunn, whose illness has been frequently noted in this column, passed quietly to the better land. He was born in Plainfield, N. J., in 1832, and was educated at DeBuyer Academy, Alfred University and Union College, in the state of New York, receiving from the latter the degree of A. M., and that of D. D. from Milton College. For eight years he was postmaster of his native city, and thereafter collector of internal revenue. In the seventies he entered the Baptist Theological Seminary at Chicago, and after completing his course was called to the pastorate of the Seventh-Day Baptist church in this village, and for nearly twenty years has been its pastor. His ministry has been a remarkably successful one, and endeared him, not only to his parishioners, but to the whole community, and without regard to sect or creed, all mourn the loss of a good man, affectionate friend, kind neighbor and eloquent preacher. For three years he was professor of Greek and mental and moral philosophy at Milton college and up to the time of his death an honored and useful member of its board of trustees. He leaves a wife and three children, Alexander C., city passenger agent of the Union Pacific railroad company, at Omaha. Mrs. Clara M. Humphrey, wife of Prof. J. N. Humphrey of the White-water Normal school, and Mrs. H. L. Bellnap of Chicago. The funeral occurs today (Saturday) at 11 o'clock, in the Seventh Day Baptist church.

Sketch of H. G. Hamilton.

Horace G. Hamilton, one of Rock county's pioneer settlers, died Tuesday, aged eighty-six years. He was born in Brookfield, New York, September 10, 1810, and came to Milton in 1842. Before coming to Milton, in 1834, he married Miss Catherine M. Burdick. The union was blessed with five children, three of whom, with the wife, are still living—Mary, the wife of Charles Goodrich; Emory M., better known as Major Hamilton, of New York and Mrs. Goodell Foster of Independence, Kansas. Madeline, the wife of W. H. Coon, died six years ago in Beatrice, Neb. Arthur was the first who enlisted for m Milton for service in the late war and participated in every engagement with his regiment until the battle of Antietam, where he was killed. He was the first one from Milton to lose his life and in his memory the G. A. R. post of Milton was named. There are also eleven grand children and three great grand children. Mr. Hamilton has filled various local offices, including that of assessor and justice of the peace. He was a member of the S. D. B. church. For fifty-four years he has witnessed the growth and development of Rock county, and has borne his share in the work of progress. The pioneers are one by one being called from earth and few now remain to tell the story of pioneer days. The funeral took place from his late residence at 10 o'clock, Friday, Rev. S. L. Maxson, officiating.

Donation is Planned.

Arrangements are being made for the usual annual donation supper by the M. E. church people on Thursday evening, April 16. Chicken pie and other good things will be served. The committees appointed will endeavor to make it an evening of social enjoyment. A cordial invitation to all. Let the church be crowded. A man by the name of Austin Arner, a painter by occupation, was arrested in Janesville Monday by Officer J. C. Anderson by jumping his board bill, which was contracted at the Richmond House, last summer. He was brought before Justice Stillman Tuesday afternoon, plead guilty, and was fined \$10 and costs, or ten days in jail. Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Mr. Charles H. Maxson, principal of the Necedah high school, and Miss Hilda M. Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hansen, of Necedah, on Monday, March 23. They will be at home in Necedah after April 5. Mr. and Mrs. Maxson are the guests of Prof. and Mrs. Maxson this week.

Liquor Case Adjourned.

The case of the State of Wisconsin vs. William Nash, for an alleged violation of the excise law, was called in Justice Stillman's court today and by mutual arrangement.

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journing until next Monday. President Whitford has been seriously ill for several days with an attack of la grippe, which developed into bronchial pneumonia, but for a day or two he has been improving, and is now able to sit up a portion of the day. Miss Anna Jordan has gone to Chicago, where she has a clerkship. R. B. Charles, of Whitewater, was a Milton visitor this week. Eli Loofboro is at Cartwright's, assisting in revival work. Dr. C. E. Crandall, of the University of Chicago, is the guest of Milton relatives. The donation for Rev. George R. Chambers, at the Congregational church Tuesday evening, was a social and financial success. The cash receipts amounted to sixty dollars.

REVIVAL AT STEBBINSVILLE.
Services Will Be Held Every Night for a Week.

Stebbinsville, March 27.—There will be revival meetings at the church for one week, commencing Thursday evening, April 2, and will last over Easter Sunday. Let the people turn out and go, and help the good work along. Charles Rodene, of Fulton, is moving on B. Towne's farm this week. W. H. Gifford was quite surprised on Monday night when a score of his friends stepped in on him, it being his thirty-eighth birthday. As a token of esteem, they presented him with an easy chair, and after a bountiful supper, they departed for their homes, wishing him many returns of the day. Mrs. Will Titus is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. L. Page. James Stewart, of St. Charles, Ill., who has been wintering at J. D. Spike's, and was sick for two weeks, is reported to be better. Frank Murray is moving back on his farm this week and Pat Tracey is moving on a farm near Janesville. Mrs. Frank Walker is some better after two weeks sickness. Miss Anna Earle commenced her school here on Monday, March 23. A wedding is talked of in the near future. The spring election is near at hand so go and vote a republican ticket and remember also to do the same next fall. Frank Farman and wife visited at their brother George Farman's over Sunday. W. C. Dragg, our creamery man, got a telegram on Monday evening from Iowa that his brother was dying and left at once for there. J. L. Page will have an auction on April 2.

Gossip From Rock River.

Rock River, March 27.—The exhibition which was held here two weeks ago will be repeated Wednesday night, April 1, at the Rock River church. A good program will be presented, consisting of dialogues, recitations, songs, tableaux, etc. Admission ten cents. Everyone invited. Mabel Green is visiting relatives at Fall River this week. C. S. James, formerly of this place, has sold his farm at Kozza, Ia., and purchased another 150 miles further southwest at Lorimer, Iowa. Mr. Addie of Milton, gave us an excellent sermon here last Sabbath night. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fassett and baby visited friends here last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green, who have been visiting at Fall River, returned last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Balch, Joseph Vincent and Elmer Vincent, who have been on the sick list the last week are better. It is reported that Mr. Maltress of Edgerton, has rented Mrs. Clarissa Vincent's farm for the coming year. Mrs. Chauncey Hall is dangerously sick.

Fairfield News Notes.

Fairfield, March 27.—Remember the lecture by the Rev. R. K. Manaton next Monday evening. The concert was well attended last Tuesday evening. Miss Daniels was well received by all. Twenty-one lads and lassies assisted in celebrating the ninth birthday of Miss Rae Williams last week Friday afternoon. Many pretty tokens of remembrance were presented and a merry time participated in by all. Miss Smith closed a successful term of school in the Dykeman district on Friday and will soon return to her home in Chester, Iowa. On Thursday evening, April 2, there will be an Easter social at the M. E. church. An interesting programme will be conducted by the Sunday School superintendent Will Dykeman. Every one is invited to come and join in a pleasant evening. Supper will be served for ten cents, proceeds to apply on the Easter offering of the Sunday School.

All republicans should attend the ward caucuses at 7:30 o'clock tonight and vote for the best men.

WOULD BE UNANIMOUS FOR DOE
The State Journal Speaks of Favorite and Prodigal Sons.

The Madison Journal says: "Wisconsin is so rich in men that there is a rumble on all the benches when 'favorite son' is mentioned. But if the people were to rise up en masse to put a son of our prodigal son, we suppose no one would dispute Gen. Doe's right to hold up his ears for the distinguished honor."

CLINTON GAINED BY THE FIRE
Much Better Buildings Will Now Replace Those Burned.

James Selkirk whose harness shop was recently burned at Clinton, was in the city today and says that the work of rebuilding has already commenced. Although the fire meant heavy personal losses, the village will be the gainer thereby, as buildings of a much better class will be erected.

Solid Comfort.

Buy Adler Bros.' suits that fit and take solid comfort. It don't cost any more to get one of them than it does poorer grades, and it costs just nothing to look at them at F. H. Baacks.

Smokers unbiased in their opinion pronounce Sweet Moments cigarettes best.

"DEMS" NAME MEN FOR US TO SLAY

THE CAUCUSES WERE HELD
LAST EVENING.

Hot Contests In Some of the Wards
But In Most of Them the Faithful Simply Ratified the Work of the Machine—The Candidates Selected.

The democratic ward caucuses were held last night, and the men were selected for the slaughter of next month.

There were hot contests in some of the wards, but in the most of them the machine indicated its preference, and the faithful rallied to his support.

In the Third ward the fifteen men whose names appear in the list of delegates comprised the caucus. George M. McKey declined the nomination for alderman, but the caucus cried him down. John Harvey begged off on the proposition of running for supervisor, but they wouldn't hear him. John Heffernan positively declined the nomination for constable, and after some debate as to whether or not Walter Houghton was a democrat or republican, he was chosen by acclamation. Then the delegates were requested to work for Chas. C. Russell's nomination for city attorney and the fifteen men fled out.

The caucuses nominated aldermen and other officers in the various wards as follows:

The First Ward.

Mayor Baines presided and Harry Garbutt kept the records. The nominations:
Alderman—George R. Davis.
Supervisor—Louis F. Knipp.
Constable—Jacob Heller.
Delegates—J. P. Baker, John Connelly, F. S. Baines, Charles Stark, E. S. Head, Martin Dunn, Thomas F. Siegle, Jacob Heller, August Krueger, William Meggott, Nicholas Dilzer, Horace McElroy, Harry Garbutt, Mark Farrell, J. L. Croft.

Ward committee—E. S. Head, J. P. Baker and August Krueger.

The Second Ward.

J. Fred Hutchinson was chosen chairman and George Clark, secretary. Nominations:
Alderman—Nels Carlson.
Supervisor—William Hadden.
School Commissioner—John M. Kniff.

The office of constable was left with the ward committee to fill. Delegates—E. J. McCue, John Doran, Thomas J. Clark, Charles H. Daly, Charles Guttenburg, Joseph J. Abbott, J. Fred Hutchinson, Patrick W. Flemming, John Hagane, Sr., E. P. Wixon, Patrick Cantwell, William McLaughlin, William McGinley, James Dugan, Edward H. Connell.

Ward Committee—E. P. Wixon, Charles H. Daly and Charles Guttenburg.

The Third Ward.

J. S. McGowan was elected chairman and Charles C. Russell secretary. Nominations:
Alderman—George M. McKey.
Supervisor—John Harvey.
Constable—Walter P. Houghton.
Delegates—J. S. McGowan, Charles C. Russell, Elmer Skelly, E. H. Ryan, George G. Sutherland, Frederick Day, John Harvey, Milo M. Thayer, Frank Britt, Dennis R. Morrissey, John P. Heffernan, William A. McGhee, Ferdinand Grimsell, Fred Roelinger, Michael Buob.

Ward Committee—Charles C. Russell, George M. McKey and Elmer Skelly.

Delegates to the city convention were instructed to support Charles C. Russell for city attorney.

The Fourth Ward.

Colin C. MacLean was chairman and Fred C. Burpee, secretary. Alderman—Chauncey K. Miltimore. School Commissioner—Fred C. Burpee.

Supervisor—Colin C. MacLean. Constable—John W. Hogan. Delegates—Dr. O. P. Robinson, John McKelvey, Fred H. Kothman, James F. Casey, William A. Murray, Thomas F. Conroy, George N. Hubbard, Isaac F. Connors, Charles F. Rehfeld, Fred C. Burpee, Henry Hemming, Colin C. MacLean, P. W. Ryan, William J. Hemming, Chauncey K. Miltimore.

Ward Committee—Colin C. MacLean, Isaac F. Connors and William Kuhlow.

The Fifth Ward.

P. J. Moust was elected chairman and Hugh M. Joyce secretary. Alderman—Bartholomew Spence. Supervisor—Edward Rathernam. Constable—M. J. Conroy.

Delegates—James Sennett, J. B. McLean, Edward Smith, George E. Tanberg, Thomas Costello, John Welch, George C. McLean, John F. Sweeney, Michael J. Stead, P. J. Moust, George Croft, Richard Finley, Michael Cronin, David Griffin, Joseph Jaquish.

Ward Committee—James Sennett, Hugh M. Joyce and E. F. Broderick.

Notice to Democrats.

While I appreciate the honor accorded me by the democrats of the second ward, my business will not permit me to make the race for school commissioner. JOHN M. KNEFF.

THE EVENTS FOR TONIGHT.

ROYAL Neighbors.

PEOPLE'S Lodge, I. O. G. T.

KNIGHTS of Pythias, special meeting.

WESTERN Star Lodge, No. 14, F. A. M.

"In Old Kentucky" at the opera house.

The republican ward caucuses will be held tonight.

RUSK LYCEUM TO GIVE A PARTY

Plans Are Made for an Event of Interest to Society Folk.

The invitations have been issued by the members of the Rusk Lyceum for a party on the evening of April 13. The committees that have been appointed are as follows:

Arrangement—H. W. Scott, W. D. Merritt and F. N. Blakeley.
Reception—B. M. Palmer, F. N. Blakeley, E. P. Norcross, B. F. Cary, R. A. Sanborn and H. C. Hemmingway.

Floor—F. McNamara, J. J. Wilcox, E. L. Williamson, W. D. Merritt, H. W. Scott and W. J. Hamilton.

All republicans should attend the ward caucuses at 7:30 o'clock tonight and vote for the best men.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

We do not keep shoes we sell them. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

A HOWLING success in the shoe business. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

No use for tea stores and tea peddlers. Vankirk sells at less than they can buy.

FARMERS order your clover, timothy, and vegetable seeds from W. T. Vankirk. All new and guaranteed, lowest prices.

Here's to the earth, as round as a wheel: Death is something we all must feel; If life was something that money could buy, The farmers would live, and the merchants would die.

Buy your shoes of Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Our store is growing in popularity every day. We are constantly sawing wood for our customers benefit. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

VANKIRK'S New York cider is recommended by the pulpit, the press and physicians. It is the great spring tonic. It makes the sick well.

We will show a swell line of Oxford in black and tans for the season of 1896. Do not buy until you have seen them. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Some of those large velvet and ornamental rugs are most beautiful creations of art and any person desiring covering for hard wood floor should certainly see this splendid line. Bort, Bailey & Co.

FASHION and comfort go together in our spring styles of ladies' gentle misses' and children's shoes. Don't buy until you have seen them. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Who will pass a good thing? You can't after you have seen our new spring styles in shoes and oxfords coming in every day. We will have all of our stock in a few days. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Our Bicycle Clothing

Is noticed by everybody because of its good make-up. We can fit any wheelman out with any wearing apparel he may want from his stockings to his cap. F. H. Baack.

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Neither should you throw your money away, by buying trash clothing and furnishing goods at one-fourth price, because good honest goods can't be sold that way. F. H. Baack.

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Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.



Friday, March 27.

FIRST VISIT TO THIS CITY OF THE
GRANDEST DRAMATIC TRIUMPH
OF THE CENTURY,
IN OLD KENTUCKY.

A genuine horse race between real Kentucky thoroughbreds. The original fame-crowned Picaninny Brass Band. Carload of Scenery.

Sale opens Thursday, 2 p. m.
PRICES: First six rows in orchestra next to stage, \$1.00; balance of orchestra, 75c; first two rows in orchestra circle, \$1.00; next two rows, 75c; balance of orchestra circle, 50c; balcony, 50 and 75c. gallery, 25c.

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Best Japan Tea, in Janesville, 30c
Good Japan Tea, 15 to 25c
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at
Best Java Coffee 22c
1 cord Safety and Parlor Matches at cost.
Three carloads of
best Patent Flour, at 90 and 95c
2000 gallons stone ware
per gallon 5c
Dr. Price's and Royal Baking Powder 38c
per lb.
Spearhead and Climax Plug Tobacco 38c
per lb.
Battle Ax and other Plug Tobaccos, 20c
per lb.
Smoking Tobacco and Cigars at cost.
Briar Pipes and Smokers' Articles
less than cost; canned Fruits and Veg-
etables, Pickles and Sauces at half
price; all Laundry and Toilet Soaps at
wholesale price; Starch, Blue and Ex-
tracts at less than cost; 1 carload of the
celebrated N. Y. Cider at cost; best
potatoes 25c; choice Onions 60c; best
Rolled Oats 2c per lb.; best Rice 5c.

All other Groceries and miscellaneous stock
at less prices than ever known as they must be
sold. All Cover and Timothy Seed and other
Farm and Garden Seeds cheapest in the city.
This sale will continue until all goods are sold or
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and get bargains. Your Friend Always,

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THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

"GYPSY" WENT MAD AND SLEW A MAN

COL. HALL'S OLD ELEPHANT'S FATAL WORK.

Was the Same Beast That Attacked the Evansville Showman Months Ago, and Injured Him So That He Still Limp—Has Killed Three Men.

There was a man in Janesville yesterday who read the Chicago morning paper with interest—Col. George W. Hall, the noted showman of Evansville. The article that caught his eye, was one that told of the tragic death of Frank Scott, who was killed by the elephant "Gypsy" at the World's Fair City on Wednesday.

"Do I know anything about the elephant?" he said in response to a question. "Well I should think I did. Haven't I been limping around here for months as the result of an injury she inflicted?"

The elephant was formerly owned by Mr. Hall, and attacked him some time ago, injuring his hip. Mr. Hall finally disposed of her and she fell into the hands of W. H. Harris, a Chicago showman. She was in winter quarters at Chicago, and Scott had her in charge. Wednesday she attacked him, and picking him up in her trunk threw him through the closed doors of the barn and inflicting injuries from which he died. She then ran amuck through the streets, but was finally captured.

The real name of the elephant is said to be Empress, although she goes by the name of Gypsy, owing to her reputation for dangerous temper. Scott is the third man she has killed and she has injured several others, including Col. Hall himself.

"Janesville shall not be without a circus this year," said Col. Hall. "The Hall-McFlynn Consolidated Shows will be here this summer. We open at Evansville, but Janesville will be the second stand we make. We have not yet set the date for our visit, but we will probably come about May 9 and 10."

Col. Hall says he will take out an extra good circus this season, and his years of experience have made him thoroughly competent to get a good company together. The show is now at Evansville, where preparations for the campaign are being made.

One Minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. C. D. Stevens.

Aurora Liked the Opera. The Aurora Daily News says: "A home talent minstrel show could not have drawn a larger audience than did the Columbia Opera Company at their opening engagement last evening. Every seat in the house from pit to dome was occupied, and much of the standing room was taken."

"The opera 'Black Hussar' pleased the audience immensely. The Columbia company is a large one and its productions are superior to those put on their last engagement. The chorus is a very good and the drills are finely executed. A change of bill will be presented each night this week with a matinee Saturday afternoon."

Quick in effect, heals and leaves no scar. Burning, scaly eruptions quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Applied to burns, scalds, old sores, it is magical in effect. Always cures piles. C. D. Stevens.

A high liver with a torpid liver will not be a long liver. Correct the liver with DeWitt's Little Early Risers, little pills that cure dyspepsia and constipation. C. D. Stevens.

WANTED.

WANTED—One hundred pounds of clean white rags at The Gazette press room.

WANTED—Furnished room with or without table board. D. C. Gazette.

WANTED—A second hand ladies' bicycle last year's pattern; must be in good order. Address "B," Gazette.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—Two lower flats in Waverly block, Nos. 5 and 7 North Main street; six rooms; steam heat; city water; bath rooms; gas cooking stoves. F. L. Stevens.

FOR RENT—House, No. 55 West Bluff, just off Jackson St. Inquire or address 158 Cornelia St.

FOR RENT—House, 7 rooms, good barn; 106 Chatham street; \$9 a month.

FOR RENT—A house with acre of land, on Milton avenue; \$5 per month. Enquire on premises. 320 Milton Avenue.

WANTED—Room within easy reach or post-office. Address Cor., this office.

TABLE board wanted by man and wife. Address, stating price, M. V., care Gazette.

FOR SALE—A 50 model bicycle, in first class repair. Weight, 23 pounds. Enquire at this office.

RESIDENCE No. 106 East street, Third ward, for rent. W. G. Wicks.

FOR RENT—Park Hotel, opposite Chicago & Northwestern depot, city of Fond du Lac. Now enjoying a good trade. Possession given April 15, 1896. For terms enquire of Wm. McVernon, Agent, Fond du Lac, Wis.

FOR SALE—Slow case in the 5 and 10 cent store. Half original price; almost new; 10 Milwaukee street.

FOR SALE—Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

LAKE FRONTAGE FOR SALE—A farm of 151 acres with one and one-half miles of lake frontage. All stock, farming tools, boats, deers and household goods; good bird dings. Address N. D. M. Bradt, Fort A. Knapp, Wis.

MAJOR RANDALL AT WASHINGTON. He is Now Doing Special Work at the War Department.

Janesville friends of Major George M. Randall, U. S. A., will be interested in the fact that the major is now at Washington. Major Randall has been at Fort Russell, Wyoming, but was summoned to the national capital to



MAJOR G. M. RANDALL.

do some special work for the war department.

Capt. S. R. Stafford, of Fort Sheridan, who was stationed in this city last summer, on recruiting service, has gone to Washington on a pleasure trip.

All republicans should attend the ward caucuses at 7:30 o'clock tonight and vote for the best men.

"IN OLD KENTUCKY" TONIGHT

Famous Production Will Be Seen at the Myers Grand This Evening.

The visit of "In Old Kentucky" to this city tonight has aroused more interest among theatre goers than any announcement of recent seasons. This is the play which occupied the Academy of Music in New York for a whole season and broke all previous records for big business; the famous Boston Theatre during a three months run. New Yorkers are slow to lend their endorsement to a new play, for it is here that all first productions are given, and it is well known, less than twenty five per cent of them survive the test. The Pickaninny Band, twenty ebony-hued youngsters, execute all the popular airs in a manner that is at once startling and captivating. They range in age from eight to thirteen years and in themselves form the most novel attraction of the decade. Then there is the exciting race scene, showing five Kentucky thoroughbreds actually battling for the Ashland Oaks stake on an exact reproduction of the famous Lexington race track. Add to this a story full of heart interest interpreted by a company of rare merit, and it is not difficult to account for the success of "In Old Kentucky."

GREAT LINEN SALE.

Lowell's Cash Store Makes Low Prices On Linens.

Fringed duck splasher.....19c
Linen splashes, drawn border.....20c
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Stamped velvet sofa pillow covers.....25c
Stamped velvet black sofa pillow covers.....15c
Pillow shams per pair.....20c
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Table covers lennox art.....20c
Dresser scarfs lennox art.....30c
Laundry and shoe bags lennox art.....38c
Hemstitched tray cloths.....8c
Lunch cloths.....50c
Luch cloths.....63c
Honiton patterns 12x16.....7c
Honiton patterns 16x20.....11c
Honiton patterns 16x24.....15c
Don't fail to see our line of stamped goods. These goods must be closed out to make room for new ones.
Don't forget the place. The Lowell Hardware Co.

New Issue of Home Seekers' Excursions on March 10, April 7 and 21, and May 5, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip excursion tickets at half fare to points on its own lines in Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota; and to points in northern Wisconsin and northern Michigan. Also, to points on other lines in Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Oklahoma.

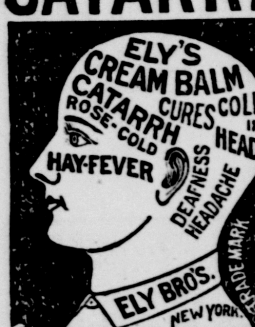
Don't invite disappointment by experimenting. Depend upon One Minute Cough Cure and you have immediate relief. It cures croup. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. C. D. Stevens.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

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is a Local Disease and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes. It can be cured by a pleasant remedy which is applied directly into the nostrils. Being quickly absorbed it gives relief at once.

Ely's Cream Balm is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Catarrh, Cold in Head and Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, always put on the mucous membrane, soothes the inflamed membrane, restores the sense of taste and smell. Put in at Druggist or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 55 Warren Street, New York



COL. ROBBINS SUED BY J. B. JEFFREY

THE JANEVILLE SHOWMAN MADE DEFENDANT.

Former Business Partner Claims \$100,000 Damages on the Charge That Robbins Caused His Arrest Without Grounds For Alleged Perjury of Which He Was Freed.

Col. Burr Robbins, the former Janesville showman, having a fairly interesting time of it in Chicago these days. Now he is the defendant in an action for damages. Col. Robbins was yesterday sued in the superior court for \$100,000 by John B. Jeffery for alleged malicious prosecution. The suit is based on the indictment for perjury found by the grand jury against Jeffery, and on which the latter was tried several months ago. After a prolonged trial he was acquitted. The charge on which Jeffery was tried was preferred by Robbins and grew out of a disagreement in settling up the affairs of the John B. Jeffery Printing Company in which both were interested.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN.

Red hot, reliable, rattling, rustling bargains are waiting for you at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

The best factories of the land are yielding up their choicest productions for us. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

No argument is necessary to sell our new goods. Seeing always makes a sale. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

The great temperance drink Vankirk's New York elder, endorsed by the members of the W. O. T. U. It costs one cent per glass by barrel or gallon. It is absolutely pure.

Our object in advertising is to make sales, but we couldn't do it if we didn't have the goods and prices. Come and see our one cent counter and many special bargains for cash only. Lowell.

WHERE Cain got his wife has puzzled bib e students for ages. We don't know ourselves. We do know however, where you can get the best line of tinware stores and house furnishing goods to be had anywhere. Full value for the money is our motto. We handle bicycles, stoves, furnaces, and do all kinds of tinwork. Lowell Hardware Co.

MANY THOUSANDS

Vitally Interested in the New Discovery.

Whereby Nine-Tenths of the American People Will Be Benefited.

A Brief Account of It.

A man or woman with perfect digestion, the result of a healthy stomach, has no need of a nerve tonic to bring sleep, nor sarsaparilla to purify their blood, nor cod liver oil and pre-digested foods to make them fat. Why? Because a sound stomach perfectly digests the food, making pure, rich blood, steady nerves, sound sleep and all the healthy flesh a person needs to carry.

Dr. Bostwick recently stated that anyone out of health, nervous, sleepless, run down in flesh, with poor appetite, not knowing just what was the matter of them, should look to their digestion, to the stomach, and there would find the secret of the whole trouble. He says nine out of ten will have no nervous troubles, no impure blood, no weakness anywhere, when the digestive organs do their work properly. To cure indigestion and dyspepsia he never advises "sarsaparilla," "stomach bitters," "pre-digested food" or any other secret patent medicine. He says the best thing, the safest and surest cure is Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they are composed of vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure pepsin and bismuth and will cure dyspepsia in every case if taken persistently and regularly. Some of the cures made by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are little short of miraculous.

Mrs. Charlotte Lane, of Ransomville, N. Y., writes: "I have taken only one 30-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and am almost astonished at results, they have benefited me so greatly. I have always understood that dyspepsia was incurable, but now know it can be cured, for I am fully satisfied with what they have done for me. I can eat and enjoy my meals a great deal better and feel better in every way and have only used one package."

Mr. J. O. Wondy, of Peoria, Ill., writes: "I was unable to eat anything but the plainest food, and even that often distressed me, but since using one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets I can eat anything and everything I want."

Mrs. Samuel Kepple, of Girty, Pa., writes: "I have been entirely relieved of my stomach troubles by your Tablets. I suffered three years with sour stomach and gas at night. I am thankful for them."

Mrs. A. E. Bowen, Barnard, Vt., writes: "I think Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best thing for dyspepsia I ever took. I will recommend them to anyone troubled as bad as I was."

Although a new remedy, yet its remarkable success in all kinds of stomach troubles has practically settled the question that it is the best and safest remedy that can be used for weak or disordered digestion.

It is prepared by the Stuart Chemical Co., Marshall, Mich., and for sale by druggists everywhere at 30 cts. per package, thus placing it within the reach of everyone wishing to give a remedy so highly commended a fair trial.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT

FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Noted and given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 13th Tuesday, being the 1st day of April next, at 9 o'clock a.m., the following matter will be heard and considered: the application of Minerva Gurnsey King to admit to probate the last will and testament of Sarah C. Gurnsey, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.—Dated March 28, 1896.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge.



The coming Artist who knows enough to paint a popular subject.

Battle Ax PLUG

You get 5½ oz. of "Battle Ax" for 10 cents. You only get 3½ oz. of other brands of no better quality for 10 cents. In other words, if you buy "Battle Ax" you get 2 oz. more of high grade tobacco for the same money. Can you afford to resist this fact? We say NO—unless you have "Money to Burn."

"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

SAPOLIO

THEY WILL BE HERE!

At Grand Hotel, Janesville, one day only,
THURSDAY, APRIL 2nd.

Returning Every Four Weeks.



The Celebrated English Doctors of The London Medical Institute,
413 Grand Avenue, Milwaukee.

All persons suffering from Catarrh and its complications will be treated for \$4.00 per month until cured, if they apply to these eminent physicians on April 2nd. Let there be no misunderstanding—\$4.00 per month pays your doctor bill and medicines.

EXAMINATION FREE TO ALL.

All chronic sufferers are invited to call and be examined free of charge. If your case is found to be incurable, the doctors will tell you so quickly and frankly, and will positively refuse to treat incurable cases. During two years' successful practice in Milwaukee, they have earned an enviable reputation for honesty, straightforward methods and fair dealings with all. Their charge for treatment is so reasonable that even the poorest persons can take advantage of their supreme skill. Call early. Rooms always crowded.

ALL DISEASES AND DEFORMITIES CURED.

CATARRH CURED—Consumption in the incipient stage: Bronchitis, Asthma, Stomach, Liver and Kidney, Sores, Ulcers and all Chronic Blood Troubles; Eczema, Psoriasis, Pimples, Blisters and all skin troubles treated and cured.

NERVOUS DISEASES—Epilepsy, positively and permanently cured. Nervous Debility from any cause, Hysteria, Neurasthenia, Chorea, St. Vitus' Dance, etc., cured by the London Specific treatment.

DISEASES OF WOMEN—treat all diseases peculiar to their sex without the use of rings, pessaries, supporters, etc., by new and painless methods.

CANCER CURED WITHOUT CUTTING.

Young Men, Middle Aged Men, Weak, Diseased, Despondent Men.

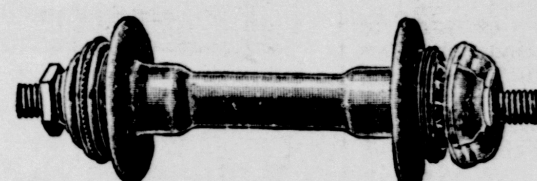
Suffering from premature decay, exhausted or enfeebled powers, and all diseases arising from habits of youth, early vices, indiscretion or excess—all diseases causing drains, losses, weak or failing memory, blotches, pimples, impure blood, falling hair, etc., should visit them at once. By their English Methods and Remedies, they guarantee each sufferer immediate relief and perfect cure.

CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT—No matter how many physicians have failed to cure you, call on us.

HOURS: 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

P. S.—These physicians will return every thirty days for one year. Address all mail to London Medical Institute, 413 Grand Avenue, Milwaukee.

RELAY BICYCLES.



VISIBLE BEARINGS.

Strictly first-class. You should see them.

F. A. TAYLOR.



This famous remedy cures quickly, permanently all nervous diseases. Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Headache, Vertigo, Neurasthenia, Loss of Vitality, night emissions, evil dreams, impotency and was cured by youthful errors or excess. Contains no opiates. Is a nerve tonic and blood builder. Makes the pale and puny strong and plump. Easily carried in vest pocket. \$1 per box. 6 for \$5. By mail prepaid with a written guarantee to cure or money refunded. Write us, free medical books, send old pills, wrappers with testimonials and financial references. No charge for consultation.

For sale in Janesville, Wis., by E. S. HELMSTREET and by GEO. E. KING & CO.

YOU GUESS



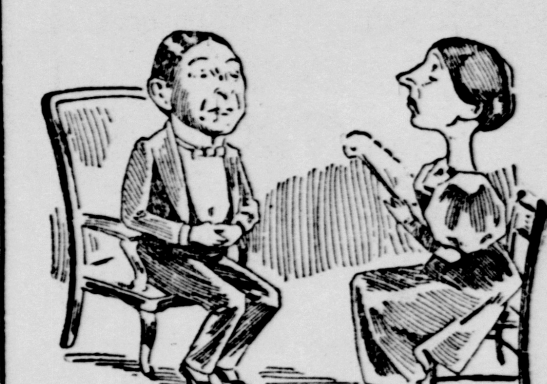
and if you're right you get a

\$15 Suit of Clothes

or a Hat, both the latest style and patterns. The presidential and vice-presidential nominees both republican and democratic are the men to be named by somebody and it ought to be a fairly easy matter to settle in one's mind. The polls are open until

June 1st

only and we are already receiving many guesses, so if you ever had luck it's impossible to go amiss on this attempt. It's an easy way to get a new suit or a hat. The first correct guess takes the prize, so don't wait until the latter part of April or May to send in your opinion.



F. H. BAACK.

Entered at the post office at Janesville, Wis., as second-class matter.

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION.

The republican city convention will be held at the common council chamber, on Saturday afternoon, March 28th, 1896, at 2 o'clock, to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a city committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following offices: Treasurer, street commissioner, city attorney, justice of the peace, and school commissioner, at large.

Each ward will hold their caucus on Friday evening, March 27th, 1896, and elect delegates to said convention as follows: First and Third ward, 7. Second and Fourth ward, 5. Fifth ward, 3.

E. B. HEIMSTREET, Chairman.

REPUBLICAN CITY CAUCUSES.

First Ward.

The republican electors of the First ward will meet at the engine house in said ward on Friday, March 27th, at 7:30 p. m., to nominate ward candidates, appoint seven delegates to the city convention and appoint a ward committee.

GEORGE WOODRUFF, Chairman.

Second Ward.

The republican electors of the Second ward will meet at the engine house in said ward on Friday, March 27th, at 7:30 p. m., to nominate ward candidates, appoint five delegates to the city convention, and appoint a ward committee.

F. L. CLEMONS, Chairman.

Third Ward.

The republican electors of the Third ward will meet at the court house in said ward, on Friday, March 27, 1896, at 7:30 p. m., to nominate ward candidates, appoint seven delegates to the city convention, and appoint a ward committee.

W. G. WHEELER, Chairman.

Fourth Ward.

The republican electors of the Fourth ward will meet at the council chamber on Friday, March 27, at 7:30 p. m., to nominate ward candidates, appoint five delegates to the city convention, and appoint a ward committee.

W. S. JEFFERS, Chairman.

Fifth Ward.

The republican electors of the Fifth ward will meet at the voting place in said ward on Friday, March 27, at 7:30 p. m., to nominate ward candidates, appoint three delegates to the city convention, and appoint a ward committee.

C. E. CHURCH, Chairman.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1836—357 American Texans, including Colonel J. W. Fannin, prisoners of war, were massacred at Goliad, Tex., by order of Santa Anna. The Texans were attacked and captured while attempting to march from Goliad to the succor of the Texans in the Alamo. They were held as prisoners of war under the prospect of exchange. On Palm Sunday they were ordered to march out of their quarters and be counted. Outside the enclosure a band of Indians specially chosen for the work massacred them all in cold blood. The wounded were spared to the last, but shared the fate of the others.

1847—Vera Cruz, Mexico, surrendered to General Scott.

1888—Felix Octavius Carr Darley, noted artist, died near Claymont, Del.; born 1802.

1889—John Bright, British statesman, died in England; born 1811.

1904—E. W. Hudson, once a well known American journalist and managing editor of the New York Herald, died at Woburn, Mass.

WAGON PILED ON TOP OF THEM

The Remarkable Escape of the Book Family This Morning.

Runaway horses tipped the wagon over on top of the people who were riding in the vehicle this morning, yet all the passengers escaped injury. The accident took place at the corner of Milwaukee and Franklin streets. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Book and two children, who reside five miles from the city, on the Sexton farm, drove to town and while coming down Milwaukee street, their horses took fright at a cyclist. The animals jumped, and the pole slipped from the fastening and dropped to the ground. The horses then started on a run down the street but came to a sudden stop when the pole caught in the street car track. Here the team broke loose while the vehicle was turned completely over, throwing the occupants into the road. Fortunately no one was seriously injured but the smallest child, a boy of eight years, was somewhat bruised about the legs, his mother having fallen on him when the crash came. He was as once taken into Stearns & Baker's drug store where his injuries were found to be of a minor nature. The harness was broken in a number of places while the buggy was wrecked.

Politics in Dubuque Badly Mixed.

Dubuque, Iowa, March 27.—Dubuque politics are mixed. There was a democratic convention Wednesday and a citizens' and a republican convention Thursday. The former nominated T. T. Duffy for mayor and the latter endorsed him. Mr. Duffy is a democrat, but opposed to the salary-grabbers. The fight is mainly on the mayoralty and aldermen.

Exporting Cat Skins.

There are 50,000 skins of house cats exported from the United States every year. These skins come from all parts of the country, a wholesaler seldom receiving a consignment of furs from a country correspondent that does not include a number of cat skins. When the correspondent receives 15 cents apiece for them on an average he may conclude that he is doing remarkably well, as there is very little demand for cat skins in this country, except for cat tails and other oddities, sometimes for hats, and very rarely as a cheap lining in winter for an old man who belongs to the customs of a past generation. So the New York wholesaler sorts his cat skins into lots of a half-dozen different grades, and sends them to London, to be sold at the quarterly auctions of one of the great fur dealers. The skins of black cats bring the most money, and as many as 10,000 of them have been disposed of for 60 cents apiece. Yellow cat skins are next in value. Maltese and body-mixed colors bring the least, often going for 5 cents apiece, or, rather, they bring the least of the full-grown cats, for there is a demand at 3 and 4 cents apiece for the skins of little kittens.

Our sample line of spring capes and jackets are moving very rapidly at the low prices we are making. T. P. Burns.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

Do you know who the presidential candidate will be? Frank H. Baack.

Some people advertise what they are going to have. We tell you what we have got and you can depend on it in time. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Do you walk in shoes? If so come and see ours. You will walk in them if you do. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Shoes suited to everybody, prices popular, foot head and pocket fitted, cut is long, prices short, dollars doubly discounted. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

The guessing contest on the presidential nominees, for which Baack offers a suit of clothes or a hat, ends June 1. Names are coming in rapidly.

We sell the very best the country produces in footwear and at moderate prices. Our profits are small, our sales are large. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

RATHER discouraging weather, this; still you perhaps need to change your heavy cap for a spring hat. Just as a little reminder we carry the Stetson hats, complete lines. T. J. Zeigler.

We can supply you with any thing you want in stylish footwear for spring and summer. We have the hottest lines of shoes coming in for spring ever shown in the city. Don't hurry about buying, it will pay you to wait. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Our carpet department is always full of the latest designs in rugs. At present the stock is most complete with elegant designs. Every lady in the city should see the display. Bort, Bailey & Co.

NICE stock of crockery, prices all right. You need not buy. If you intend to get married we can fit you out well. Stoves, crockery and house furnishing goods and our guarantee to save you money. Lowell Hardware Company.

A BEAUTIFUL line of Wilton velvet rugs, mcquette rugs, LaParis rugs, Axminster rugs we are showing at present. If you wish to see pretty floor coverings drop in on us. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Rugs Are Cheaper.

We bought a great line of pretty rugs at the new low list, and can therefore, sell them at less than ever. The stock is fresh and clean and the decorations and designs are so handsome that you cannot afford to miss seeing them at least. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, March 26.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

Articles.	High.	Low.	Mar. 26.	Mar. 25.
Wheat—				
Mar. ..	.62½	.61	.62	.61½
May ..	.63½	.62½	.63½	.63
June ..	.64	.63	.64	.63½
July ..	.64	.63	.63½	.63½
Corn—				
Mar. ..	.29½	.29	.29½	.29½
May ..	.30½	.30	.30½	.30½
Sept. ..	.32	.31½	.31½	.31½
Oats—				
Mar. ..	.18½	.18	.18½	.18½
May ..	.19½	.19	.19½	.19½
July ..	.20½	.19½	.20½	.19½
Sept. ..	.20½	.20½	.20½	.20½
Pork—				
Mar. ..	8.72½	8.62½	8.70	8.70
May ..	8.85	8.75	8.82½	8.85
July ..	9.05	8.92½	9.00	9.02½
Lard—				
Mar. ..	5.10	5.07½	5.07½	5.05
May ..	5.17½	5.15	5.15	5.17½
July ..	5.32½	5.30	5.30	5.32½
S. Ribs—				
Mar. ..	4.67½	4.65	4.67½	4.62½
May ..	4.75	4.72½	4.75	4.72½
July ..	4.87½	4.80	4.85	4.85

Awful Fire-Damp Explosion.

Wellington, New Zealand, March 27.—A terrible explosion of fire-damp has taken place in a mine at Brunerton. Five persons were killed outright and sixty more are entombed, with no hope of being rescued.

Victims of the Trolley Car.

Chicago, March 27.—One man was dangerously cut about the head, another was severely bruised and seven others were shaken up in a collision at 12:10 this morning between a Robey street electric car and an omnibus. The injured ones are: O. W. Peterson, a motorman; may recover. Samuel Williams, right side bruised and shoulder dislocated; taken home.

The full intensity of living is reached only by the perfectly healthy.

Sickness discounts the capacity for enjoyment. If his body is all out of order and run-down, he will not be able to enjoy anything, no matter how full of enjoyment it may be for other people. If he is just a little bit out of order, if he "is not sick," but doesn't feel just right? he will only be able to enjoy things in a half-hearted sort of way. The nearer he is to being perfectly well, the nearer will his capacity for enjoyment be perfect. If this condition doesn't exist, something ought to be done. That means nine cases in ten the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It works directly on the digestive organs, and on the blood and through these on every tissue of the body. It makes the appetite good, digestion and nutrition perfect and supplies rich, red blood to all the tissues, building up solid, healthful flesh.



WYERS GRAND W. H. STODDARD LESSEE & MANAGER

The Columbia Opera Co., 40 PEOPLE 40, One Week.

Commencing Monday, March 30th. Monday night "THE BLACK HUSSAR." PRICES—10, 20 and 30 cents. Sale opens Saturday 2 p. m.

Our Store is Growing

in popularity every day



We are constantly
**SAWING
WOOD...**

for our customers' benefit.

The best factories of the land are yielding up their choicest productions for US.

IT MAY REQUIRE

EARNESTNESS and ELOQUENCE.

to convince the lady, but no argument is necessary to sell

OUR NEW GOODS

SEEING ALWAYS MAKES A SALE.

Red Hot, Reliable, Rattling, Rustling Bargains.

Shoes suited to everybody. Prices popular. Foot, head and pocket fitted. Art is long, prices short. Dollars doubly discounted. Get our prices.

BROWN BROTHERS & LINCOLN.

Sew on A Button

with Willimantic Star Thread and it will stay; put on a patch with Willimantic Star Thread and it will hold. Do all your sewing with Willimantic Star Thread. It is the strongest, smoothest, best finished spool cotton made. Ask your dealer for **Willimantic Star Thread.**

Send 21 cents and receive six spools of thread, any color or number, together with four bobbins for your machine, ready wound, and an instructive book about thread and sewing, free.

WILLIMANTIC THREAD CO., Willimantic, Conn.

A New Line of BELTS TODAY.

Fresh new styles just in by express from the manufacturers. Untarnishable gilt and silver Belts in a large variety of patterns of buckles in correct widths. New Dresden Belts, new leather Belts, new plaid Belts; all **50c**

A New Line of CAPE COLLARS TODAY.

They are the very newest in neckwear, come in many designs of both embroidery and lace; taking styles **75c**

No. 9

will be the number of the stall the famous

THISTLE BICYCLE

will occupy at the show in the Y. M. C. A. building next week. Don't fail to see it, ask questions about it, and inspect it thoroughly. It's the wheel two world's records have been broken on, one by Gardner and one by Miss Tillie Anderson. It is the lightest, strongest and swiftest wheel made.

NOLAN BROS.,
Next Grand Hotel.

W. F. INGLES is prepared to clean wall paper, calomined or frescoed walls. The cleaner when used will leave the walls as bright and clean as new. Can be cleaned over a carpet, making no dirt. Also calomining, painting and paper-hanging at reasonable prices. Best of references given. Leave orders at

162 N. Main Street.

WE ARE CLIMBING UP

RIGHT! ALONG.

Why shouldn't we, with the really only elegant line of Woolens and Hats brought to the city this spring. Considerers say our line of Woolens is the finest and largest ever shown in Janesville. Prices lower than ever before. Drop in and we will convince you of the above.

OUR HATS

From \$1 up are best to be got. Agents for "The Knox."

KNEFF & ALLEN.

BUTTONS and GIMPS.

Fashion demands their liberal use, and our stock shows proper ideas of Buttons, Gimps and Garnitures, and everything else in the trimming line.

Shirt Waists.

The opening sale was a success, and the favorable comments heard again puts the stamp of approval upon the line we show at 49c, 89c and popular prices.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

A JANESVILLE MAN WRITES FROM CUBA

ISAAC FARNSWORTH TELLS OF
A VISIT TO HAVANA.

Says That Aside From the Presence of the Military, There Is Nothing at the Capital to Indicate That a War Is Raging on the Island.

A letter from the "seat of war" arrived in Janesville yesterday.

It came from Havana, Cuba, to Fred J. Bailey, and was written by a Janesville man—Isaac Farnsworth.

It was in the "Gran-Hotel-Inglaterra-Apartado 735-Cable-Inglaterra" Telefono-1265-Parque Central that the letter was written and the date was "Habana, Cuba, March 19th, de 1896."

"You may be somewhat surprised" the letter says "to receive a letter from me from Havana, but myself and Mr. Church are here nevertheless. We left Cleveland for Punta Gorda, on Monday afternoon, where we stayed until Thursday morning. There we took the steamer 'Whiting,' of the Morgan line, for Key West, arriving yesterday morning, at 7 o'clock. On the way down we fell in with and made the acquaintance of a gentleman from New Orleans who was going to Havana. After talking with him, and the ship's officers, we concluded to visit Havana too, and arrived at daylight this morning. After breakfast we came ashore, but have not seen much yet, although we calculate to hire a carriage, ride around, and see all we can."

Was Not Apparent. "The city is full of soldiers, both Spanish and 'Home Guards,' but aside from the presence of the military on the streets, one would not know that there was a war here. We intend to remain here until tomorrow afternoon at five o'clock, when we shall leave on the same steamer. 'Whiting' for Key West, and will reach that city at seven o'clock Saturday morning."

"We have had a very pleasant time so far, and have seen some interesting sights. The tall past the Mora Castle and the entrance to the harbor would pay the cost and time of our trip from Key West. Both Mr. Church and myself are feeling well."

Mr. Farnsworth closes his letter with the following postscript: "We are going to see General Weyler this afternoon, and try to get his little matter between Cuba and Spain settled without any action on the part of the U. S. congress."

A picture printed on the envelope used by Mr. Farnsworth shows the "Gran Hotel Inglaterra" to be an imposing three-story structure fronting on a park, and states that the "proprietor" is "Juan F. Villami."

Letter From Hon. Fenner Kimball. Hon. and Mrs. Fenner Kimball, who are now in Florida, have written local friends that they are enjoying life in the sunny south. When Mr. and Mrs. Kimball left Janesville the temperature was close to the zero mark, but the second evening after they left they arrived in New Orleans, where they were met at the depot by boys selling strawberries and flowers.

DR. SUTHERLAND READ A PAPER
Janesville Physician At the Hahemann College Banquet at Chicago.

Dr. Q. O. Sutherland returned home last evening from Chicago, where he attended a banquet given by the Hahemann Medical College. The doctor is president of the executive committee and has filled that place for the year. The banquet was given Wednesday evening and the doctor delivered an interesting address upon "Relations of the Medical Profession to Physical Culture."

POLICE PUT VOTERS TO ROUTE
White Light Members Are Sent Home in a Hurry.

The police were called to the lower freight yards this morning, and Chief Acheson and Officer Hogan quelled the trouble among the members of the Five Point gang who were filled with caucus whisky. The gang dispersed when the police came, and no arrests were made.

Y. M. C. A. MEMBERS GET CHARTS
Director Dixon Puts His New Plan Into Operation.

Physical Director S. S. Dixon, of the Y. M. C. A., gave out the first "charts" this morning. Tests on the vital parts of the body, such as the heart and lungs, will be made under the direction of Dr. E. E. Loomis.

Farewell Prices on Groceries.

At Vankirk's closing out sale you can buy:
Best three-pound apricots..... 10
Best three-pound tomatoes..... 7
Best three-pound peaches..... 12 1/2
Best canned corn..... 7
Good canned corn..... 5
Best gallon apples..... 20
Best pineapples..... 8
Best peas..... 10
All other canned goods less than cost.

The celebrated New York cider only twenty cents a gallon.

100 New Rugs.

We are just opening a great line of assorted sized rugs that sell all the way from \$1 to \$35. The Imperial and Sovereign Smyrnas, from the small, single door size to the large 9x12 rugs can be found in the assortment. Bort, Bailey & Co.

We have just received ten rolls new body Brussels carpet. Bort, Bailey & Company.

ECHOS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

The Royal Neighbors will meet tonight.

The Shoe Makers' Union meets tonight.

SCHOOL closed today for the spring vacation.

W. H. SARGENT Post G. A. R., meets tonight.

PEOPLE'S Lodge I. O. G. T. meet this evening.

"In Old Kentucky" at the Myer Grand tonight.

□ HUYKES' orchestra left this afternoon for Rockton.

RANDALL's bicycle shop is now connected by telephone.

THE Shackleton mill is now connected by telephone.

STRICTLY fresh eggs 10 cents a dozen. Nolan Bros.

LADIES \$1.75 strapped slippers now \$1.25. Becker & Woodruff.

N. H. CLARK shipped a car load of horses to Vermont last evening.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Knights of Pythias will be held tonight.

A boy arrived this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Vroege.

PROF. and Mrs. D. D. Mayne entertained Hizzonor whist club last evening.

THE Beloit College Glee and Mandolin club, will be here April 6, instead of 7.

MR. and Mrs. Frank Mead moved today from the Jeffris flats to 358 West Bluff street.

JOHNSON'S "Easter Morning," in Truth tomorrow. All trains and news-stands.

PLENTY of the only genuine northern dairy butter for tomorrow. Nolan Bros.

FRED RICE, of Shopiere, has been granted a patent on a wind mill regulator.

THE republican caucuses will be held tonight. Attend them and vote for the best men.

USE Pillsbury's best XXXX flour. For sale only by H. S. Johnson, 67 E. Milwaukee street.

HOR boxes delayed the St. Paul "vestibule" this morning. It was an hour and a half late.

LARGE fancy picnic hams, average ten and twelve pounds, only 7 cents a pound. Nolan Bros.

ARE you good at guessing? There is a \$15 suit or a hat in it for your luck. Frank H. Baack.

TWO bars of live stock left last evening for Chicago being consigned by Charlton & Dawson.

FLORENCE camp, Modern Woodmen gave a very enjoyable dancing party at Liberty hall last night.

WESTERN Star Lodge No. 14 F. and A. M. meets tonight at 7 o'clock, for work in the third degree.

MRS. THOMAS, the aged mother of L. M. Thomas, of this city, died yesterday at her home in Crystal Lake.

CHOICE bran, midlings and baled Timothy hay for sale cheap in any quantity. Get my prices W. T. Vankirk.

DR. G. F. BEDFORD is home from Chicago, where he sold a carload of horses. They brought from \$50 to \$100 each.

E. J. DICKENSON has bought Mrs. Tennant's residence at 170 Prospect avenue, and will move there from the Fifth ward.

LADIES cork sole shoes that are the correct spring foot wear. They cost \$5.00 usually, they now go for \$2.75. Becker & Woodruff.

DAVID BROWN, the feed store man, has disposed of one hundred and eighteen tons of baled hay during the past three months.

A THREE line want ad in the Gazette last evening brought twenty six answers before two o'clock this afternoon. Pretty fair.

Mrs. J. J. HOLMES, who has been spending the winter here the guest of relatives, left this morning for her home in Springfield, Mass.

INVITATIONS have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lloyd for a company to be given at their Pleasant street home tomorrow evening.

W. W. CLARKE, of Milton, is in Milwaukee attending the meeting of the Republican State Central Committee, he being one of the two members from the First congressional district.

FOR tomorrow we will make special special prices. Radishes, 4 cents a bunch; strawberries, 15 cents a box; bananas, 10 cents a dozen; nice sweet oranges, 12 cents a dozen; nice fresh lettuce just received. Spivak's.

ON Wednesday evening, April 1, the Culture club will celebrate "All Fools' Festival" in the parlors of the church. A hugely interesting time is confidently predicted. You'll be fooled if you come; you'll be fooled if you don't.

THE Milton Telephone says: "The high school edition of the Daily Gazette of Saturday was a handsome production, and the illustrations and press work an up-to-the-times job that reflected great credit on The Gazette Printing Company."

LANDLORD J. F. Sweeney and wife, of the Grand Hotel, and Dr. and Mrs. J. Frank Pember, will leave on April 10 for California. Mr. Sweeney is a member of the Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit association, which will hold its seventh annual meeting at Los Angeles in April.

ALICE FENTON, of the senior class; Nettie Mabie and Charles Raymond, of the junior class, and Virginia Hayner, of the sophomore class, got the highest markings in the second preliminary contest to decide who should compete for the Mahoney medal. The closing contest occurred this afternoon.

RAILROAD IS SUED BY WILL HARDIN

MUSICIAN WANTS \$10,000 FOR
INJURIES RECEIVED.

Claims That While On the Way Home from Geneva On a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Train, He Was Hurt In Such a Way That He Has Not Fully Recovered.

Will Hardin, the musician, wants \$10,000 damages from the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway company and has begun suit to collect it. The papers were served on Agent Paul L. Hinrich by Attorneys J. L. Mahoney and J. J. Cunningham. Mr. Hardin lives at Clinton, but is well known here, having played in Smith's orchestra for some time. Three years ago, while on a trip home from Geneva, he claimed that the train stopped in Elkhorn, and while in that city it is claimed that the trainmen made a "violent coupling" throwing Mr. Hardin violently to the floor, so injuring him that he never fully recovered.

Sheep Case Tried.

The Wixom Shoemaker case was tried before Judge Phelps today. C. A. Wixom resides in the town of Fulton and owned a number of sheep which he claimed were killed by dogs owned by C. B. Shoemaker. The case was appealed from an Edgerton justice's court and is being tried by a jury. Sutherland & Nolan of this city, and G. A. Metcalf of Edgerton, are looking after the interests of Mr. Wixom while F. C. Burpee and W. G. Wheeler appeared for the defendant.

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BENEATH A CLOUD OF SORROW

I. E. Leake.

I. E. Leake died this morning at 4:30 o'clock, at his home in the town of Harmony. Mr. Leake was an old and respected farmer, and for some time past has been suffering with consumption. His wife died some years ago. The funeral services will be held from the house Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the interment to be in the Harmony cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. Ebbetts.

The remains of Mrs. W. H. Ebbetts arrived in the city this noon from Milwaukee, and were interred at Oak Hill cemetery. Rev. W. H. Wotton officiated, and the pall bearers were Philip Norcross, John Thoroughgood, E. T. Foote, A. A. Jackson and E. G. Harlow.

Flynn

The seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flynn died last evening of pneumonia, at their Footville home. The funeral will be held from the Footville home tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the interment to be in Mount Olivet cemetery.

William B. Coburn.

William B. Coburn, uncle of George Hanthorn of this city, died in Winchester, Pa., yesterday. Funeral services will be held Saturday, so that none of the relatives from Rock county will be able to be present.

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BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

MRS. HASKELL has just returned from Chicago with the latest styles.

TOP coats of the celebrated Stein Bloch make are nobby. T. J. Zeigler.

MEN'S \$5 tan shoes, the spring styles, our price \$2.50. Becker & Woodruff.

NOT one day in the week, but every day, and all groceries at less than cost at Vankirk's.

CALL and look at the all wool sweater we sell at \$1 tomorrow, black or blue. T. J. Zeigler.

EVERYTHING in the grocery line goes at cost and less than cost at Vankirk's closing out sale.

YOU now have sixty days to save from 10 to 50 per cent. on all groceries at Vankirk's closing out sale.

JUST the style, is the remark we hear from almost everyone when they see our new style shoes. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

WE always lead, sometimes others try to follow, but they are so far behind we never see them. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

WE have some strap and toe slippers, for use for party wear, at \$1 pair, and great values. Becker & Woodruff.

DR. J. J. HOLMES, who has been spending the winter here the guest of relatives, left this morning for her home in Springfield, Mass.

INVITATIONS have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lloyd for a company to be given at their Pleasant street home tomorrow evening.

W. W. CLARKE, of Milton, is in Milwaukee attending the meeting of the Republican State Central Committee, he being one of the two members from the First congressional district.

FOR tomorrow we will make special special prices. Radishes, 4 cents a bunch; strawberries, 15 cents a box; bananas, 10 cents a dozen; nice sweet oranges, 12 cents a dozen; nice fresh lettuce just received. Spivak's.

ON Wednesday evening, April 1, the Culture club will celebrate "All Fools' Festival" in the parlors of the church. A hugely interesting time is confidently predicted. You'll be fooled if you come; you'll be fooled if you don't.

THE Milton Telephone says: "The high school edition of the Daily Gazette of Saturday was a handsome production, and the illustrations and press work an up-to-the-times job that reflected great credit on The Gazette Printing Company."

LANDLORD J. F. Sweeney and wife, of the Grand Hotel, and Dr. and Mrs. J. Frank Pember, will leave on April 10 for California. Mr. Sweeney is a member of the Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit association, which will hold its seventh annual meeting at Los Angeles in April.

ALICE FENTON, of the senior class; Nettie Mabie and Charles Raymond, of the junior class, and Virginia Hayner, of the sophomore class, got the highest markings in the second preliminary contest to decide who should compete for the Mahoney medal. The closing contest occurred this afternoon.

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THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

L. P. FERRIS spent the day in Chicago.

MRS. G. C. FERRIS spent the day in Chicago.

MRS. J. F. SWEENEY is home from Chicago.

ELIAH CARTER is the guest of Chicago friends.

JAMES GRAY was down from White-water today.

MR. and Mrs. Theo Beyer spent the day with Hanover friends.

S. D. PERKINS of Beloit, was the guest of local friends today.

GEORGE SPAULDING, of Brodhead, greeted local friends today.

FRANK SCHOTTLE is home after a three weeks visit at Kenosha.

ALBERT SCHALLER called on the lumber dealers at Shopiere today.

DR. G. G. CHITTENDEN was in Milwaukee yesterday on business.

CHARLES SUTHERLAND returned home last evening from a visit in Chicago.

MISS LULU McLIMAN of Elroy, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harvey.

G. J. HITCHCOCK left this morning for a few days' hunting at Grass Lake.

MR. and Mrs. H. W. B. Mott of Minneapolis, were visiting local friends today.

MISS LOTTIE FLECK, of Brodhead, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fleck.

JAMES SELKIRK returned to Clinton this morning after a short visit with local friends.

MRS. CARRIE JACOBS-BOND left this morning for a three week's visit with friends in Chicago.

F. L. GILBERT is now the conductor on the dining car in service between this city and Chicago.

HENRY GAGAN has returned from an extended western trip in the interest of Thoroughgood & Co.

Mrs. G. M. McKEY and daughter, Elizabeth, left this morning for a short visit with Chicago friends.

BURT CARR, the popular clerk at the Hotel Myers, expects to leave in the morning for a short visit to Chicago.

F. J. BENNETT, of Milwaukee, a special agent for the Fidelity Mutual Aid of California, was in the city today.

W. A. JACKSON and F. H. Jackman left this morning for Madison, where they will attend a banquet this evening.

W. BARRIAGE and Will Richardson attended the Janesville-Stoughton bowling game last evening at Stoughton.

Mrs. H. HALLET returned to her home in Menominee, Mich., this morning, after a pleasant visit with friends in this city.

DR. JAMES MILLS visited Footville today. Last evening he was called to Milton Junction in consultation with Dr. Hull.

Mrs. HIRAN F. KELSEY, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Stevens has returned to her home in Manchester, Ia.

MISS MARION SPENCER, daughter of Chief Engineer and Mrs. John C. Spencer, and teacher of the second grade of the Jefferson school, is confined to her home by illness.

MR. and Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Miller went to Afton to help celebrate Mrs. Susan Crossman's ninety-third birthday. She is making her home there now with her grandson and wife, M. and Mrs. John Addy. They found her well and happy.

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REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES TONIGHT

Where the Various Ward Primaries Will Be Held.

The republican ward caucuses will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock and all republicans should attend. The caucuses will be held at the following places:

First Ward—At the west side engine house.

Second Ward—At the east side engine house.

Third Ward—At the court house.

Fourth Ward—At the council chamber.

Fifth Ward—At the voting booth.

MR. CARLSON HAS DECLINED.

Cannot Make the Run For Alderman on the Democratic Ticket.

Nels Carlson, who was nominated for alderman by the Second ward democrats last night, sends The Gazette the following notice:

"While appreciating the kindness of my friends in nominating me for alderman of the Second ward, I am forced to decline the honor, not being in a position to give due attention to the affairs of the office, should I be elected."

N. CARLSON.

GRAND opening of spring and summer millinery at Miss Driscoll's millinery parlors, 15 West Milwaukee street, Saturday, March 28.

CARPET WEAVING—All styles; low prices. Twenty years' experience. Mrs. S. F. Wallihan, Footville.

I will weave rag carpets, brick-work, hit-or-miss and striped, in best manner, on short notice and moderate price. Twenty years' experience. Mrs. S. F. Wallihan, Footville.

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STATE AUTHORITIES VISIT
JANESVILLE.

Original Plan, Calling For a Separate Edifice Is Rejected, and a Wing Will Be Put Up Instead—Work Will Cost \$25,000—To Ask For Bids.

State Architect John Charles and Hon. J. E. Heg, of the state board of control, spent last night at the school for the blind. Mr. Charles will have plans for the completion of the east wing of the institution ready in about two weeks, and bids will be asked for. Twenty-five thousand dollars was appropriated by the legislature for such a purpose, although the first idea was to put up a separate building on the new land. The board soon found that it would be more economical and satisfactory to complete the old building than to erect a new one, and have made arrangements accordingly.

There is promise that the work will give employment to a large number of Janesville workmen.

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BOWLERS ROLLED A TIE GAME

The Janesville and Stoughton Men Were Evenly Matched.

The Janesville Bowling club returned this morning from Stoughton where they played a tie game last evening. The Stoughton boys recently defeated the Madison club and are considered a crack team. In the game last evening the home team won at ten pins, while in the three pin contest the Stoughton boys were victorious. Those who represented the local team were T. F. Dermody, O'Brien, W. C. Kober, William Mason, J. Brennan and T. McKeigue.

Razors.

Those who show in ladies shoes immediately suggest style, up to date and put it down on your memoranda to see the high and low cuts, blacks and colors at popular prices shown by the A. Richardson Shoe Co.

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She Began to Understand.
 "Did I understand you to say," said the Boston lady to the art critic, "that what Mr. Van Dobbles' picture needs is atmosphere?"
 "Yes."
 "Ah, then I begin to understand a remark made by Mr. Van Dobbles which was hitherto unintelligible."
 "About this picture?"
 "Yes. He said he wished he could think of some way to raise the wind on it."—Washington Star.

A Vicarious Dose.
 Wife—Well, doctor, how is it with my husband?
 Doctor—Fair to middling, so to speak; he wants a rest above all things. I have written out a prescription for an opiate.

Wife—And when must I give him the medicine?
 Doctor—Him? The opiate is for you, madam. — Louisville Home and Farm.

Always Unsafe.
 Oh, even in a ballroom,
 We earnestly maintain,
 A man's a chump who will try to jump
 On a swiftly moving train.
 —L. A. W. Bulletin.

TOO MUCH REALITY THERE.



"Well, at any rate, professor, I have the bump of imagination, I hope."
 "Well, yes; I think I may say your brain is principally imagination."—London Fun.

A Modern Romeo.
 Amelia—Swear not by the moon, the inconstant moon.
 Augustus—Then what shall I swear by?

"Swear by that which you hold invaluable; something which is dearer to you than all things else; something that you cannot live without."
 "Then, Amelia, I love you! I swear it by my salary."—N. Y. Weekly.

A Matter of Experience.
 "I don't know," muttered Rivers, picking himself up from the sidewalk and moving on with a perceptible limp, "whether there is any such thing as a bicycle face or not, but I am thoroughly convinced of the existence of the phenomenon known as the banana skin."—Chicago Tribune.

It Was Her Custom.
 Agitated Young Bridegroom (immediately after the ceremony)—Serena, shall I—shall I—shall we—shall we kiss?

Self-Possessed Bride (it being her third experience)—It is my usual custom, William.—Bel Air Democrat.

Before the Operation.
 "Er—I suppose, doctor, there is some chance of saving him?"
 "Absolutely none; he will die whether operated upon or not."

"Well, what are you doing it for then?"
 "For \$350."—Life.

A Provision.
 Young Hopeful (to his sister)—I say, Nell, pass me the butter!

Nell (in a tone of sisterly reproof)—If what, Johnnie?

Johnnie (goaded to desperation by the delay)—If you can reach it!—Bay City Chat.

Other Opinions Not Required.
 Mr. Wynham—Do you like the young man who is paying attention to your daughter Mary?

Mr. Warrington—What difference does that make? Mary does.—Southbridge (Mass.) Journal.

Progress.
 "How is your daughter getting on with the piano, Numson?"
 "First rate. She can play with both hands. Says she will be able to play with her ear in six months."—Household Words.

Her Grievous Wrong.
 She—Yes, I am deceived in her; I was misled by her protestations of friendship.

He—What has she done?
 She—Bought a cloak and hat just like mine!—Chicago Record.

Unprofessional.
 "The lawyers who had charge of that Richley estate matter seem to have grossly mismanaged the affair."

"What have they done?"
 "They have allowed the heirs to come to an amicable settlement."—Puck.

Final Arrangements.
 Friend—Have you signed the contract?

Actress—Yes. The manager agrees to allow the expense of two diamond robberies and one divorce.—Bay City Chat.

No Clothes-Line Census.
 Husband—How many people are there in the next house back of us?

Wife—I don't know; they have their washing done at a laundry. — Chicago Record.

A Good Chance.
 Tobacco-Chewing Husband (after ascending the stairs)—I am all out of breath.

Wife—Then kiss me, please.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Delightful Dream.
 This world would be devoid of cares; A resting place, where all is nice, If coal would but come up the stairs As smoothly as it does in price.

—Washington Star.

For Ocean Steamship Tickets
 Via the Beaver Line from Montreal-Quebec to Liverpool, or via any steamship line crossing the Atlantic, at lowest rates for first cabin, second cabin and steerage, both outward and prepaid, apply to P. L. Hinrichs, agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., at Janesville, Wis., or address C. F. Wenham, Gen'l Steamship Agent, 48 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

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Not one person in a thousand knows that the cause of biliousness is the clogging of the liver by the poisons of indigestion. Nor that the only proper cure for it is a tonic to aid the stomach.

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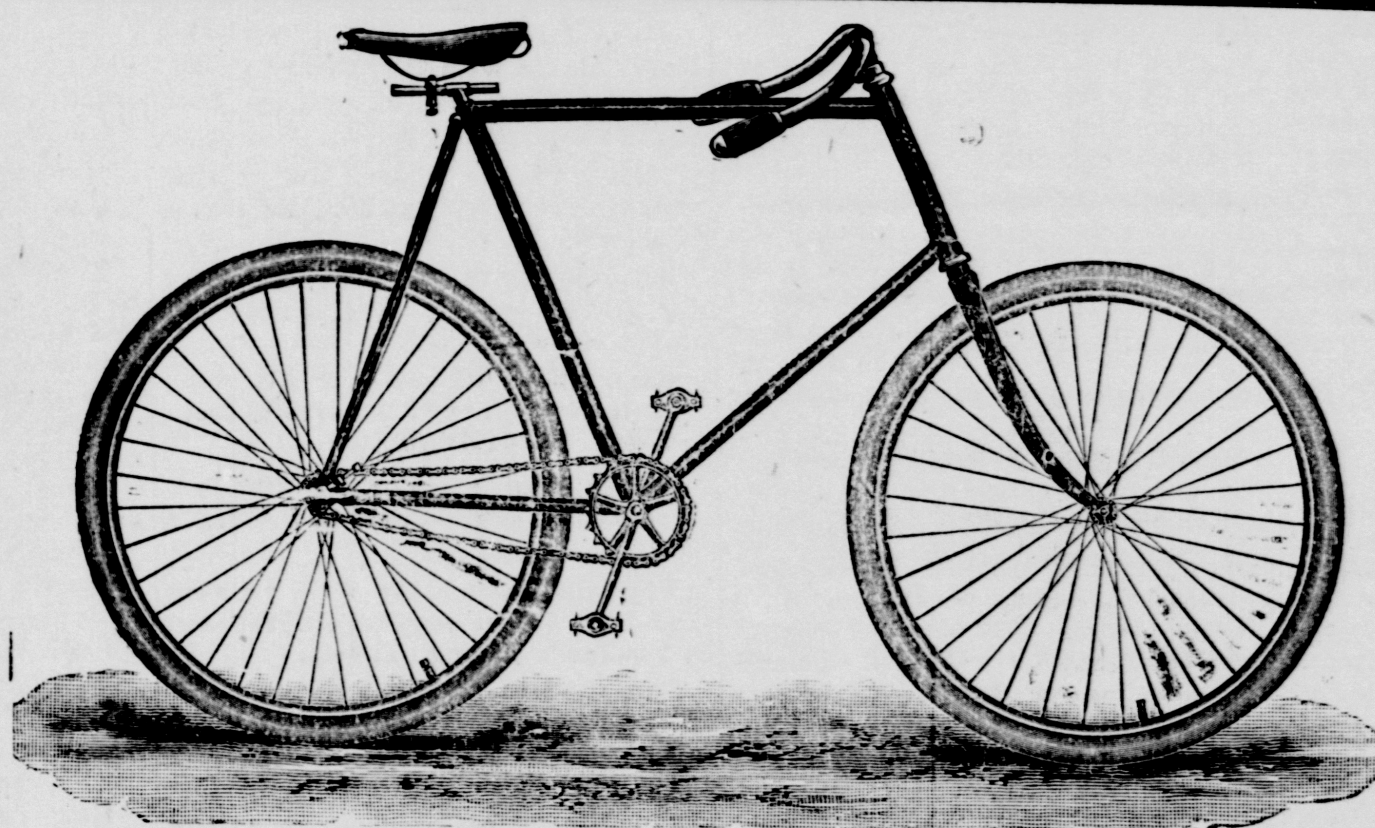
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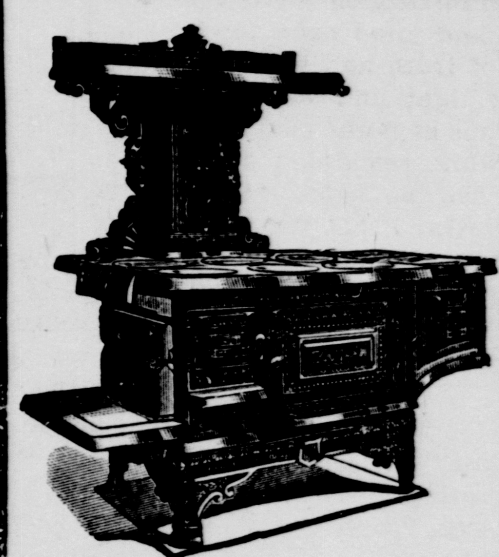
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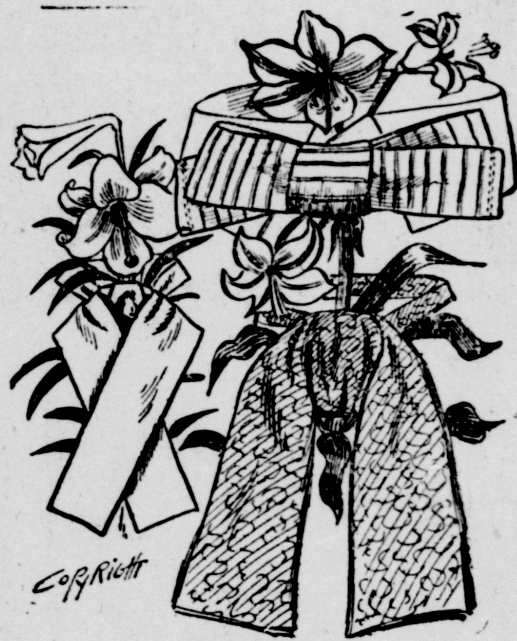
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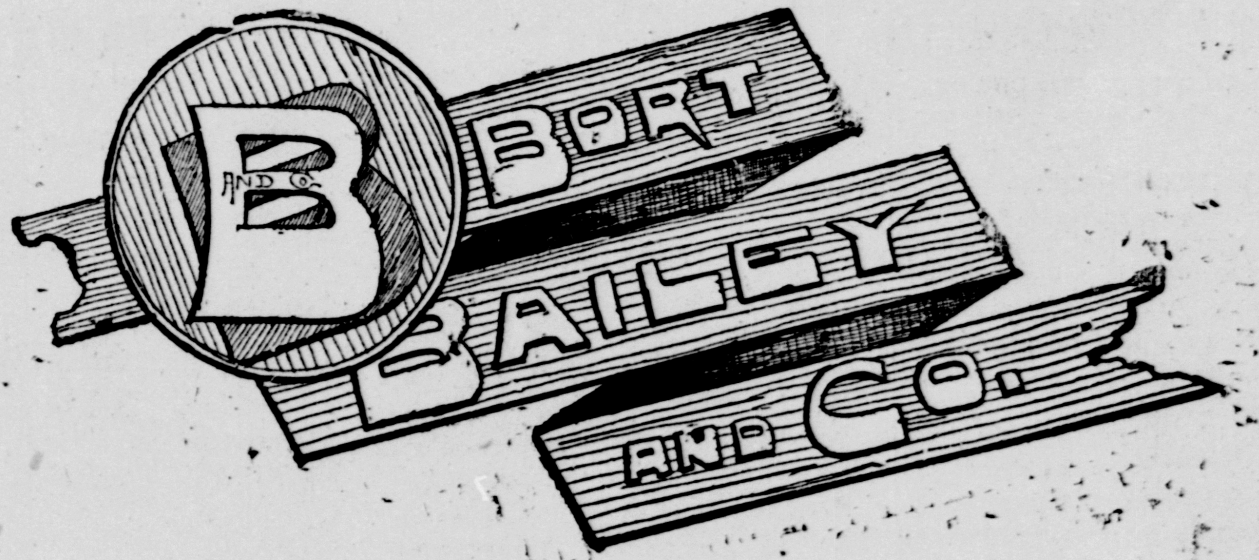
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